No. 23-12737

## IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS FOR THE ELEVENTH CIRCUIT

YIFAN SHEN, et al.,

Plaintiffs-Appellants,

v.

WILTON SIMPSON, in his official capacity as Florida Commissioner of Agriculture, et al.,

Defendants-Appellees.

On Appeal from the United States District Court for the Northern District of Florida, No. 4:23-cv-208 (Winsor, A.)

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Plaintiff Yifan Shen, through undersigned counsel, writes to inform the Court that the closing on her contracted-for home has been postponed from December 2023 to February 2, 2024. Nevertheless, Plaintiff Shen and the other Plaintiffs still urgently require this Court's relief for the reasons set forth in their Time-Sensitive Motion for an Injunction Pending Appeal and Unopposed Motion for an Expedited Appeal, see Dkt. Nos. 4-1 & 48, and their appeal from the district court's denial of their motion for a preliminary injunction, see Dkt. Nos. 38 & 51—including the substantial risk of prosecution of Plaintiff Xu, see Dkt. No. 53; Plaintiff Liu's inability to proceed with a home purchase; Multi-Choice Realty's ongoing loss of business; and the fact that SB 264's deadline for Chinese domiciliaries to register their property with the State of Florida is December 31, 2023.

Dated: December 21, 2023 Respectfully submitted,

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on December 21, 2023, the foregoing was filed electronically with the Clerk of Court through the appellate CM/ECF system. I further certify that all parties required to be served have been served.

Dated: December 21, 2023 /s/ Ashley Gorski

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